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PATENT

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of : Customer Number: 49745  
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Qixu CHEN, et al. : Confirmation Number: 2476  
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Application No.: 10/663,670 : Group Art Unit: 1773  
: Allowed: October 02, 2006  
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For: PERPENDICULAR MAGNETIC RECORDING MEDIA WITH IMPROVED  
CRYSTALLOGRAPHIC ORIENTATIONS AND METHOD OF  
MANUFACTURING SAME

**LETTER SUBMITTING FORMAL DRAWINGS**

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Sir:

In response to the Notice of Allowability dated October 02, 2006, submitted herewith are three (3) sheets of Formal Drawings, in the form of REPLACEMENT SHEETS, in connection with the above referenced application.

Respectfully submitted,

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